

Amendments to the Drawings:

Amendments to the Drawings are reflected in the six (6) attached replacement sheets containing FIGs. 1-6. These sheets replace the original drawings containing the same figures.

REMARKS

Claims 52 and 56-63 are allowed (now renumbered as claims 1-9). The present amendments to the drawings are being submitted in response to the Notice Regarding Drawings dated December 4, 2006, and attached PTO-948 form. Applicant believes the presently submitted drawings comply with 37 C.F.R. 1.84 and earnestly requests entry of the same into the present file wrapper. No new matter was introduced as a result of the present amendments.

In light of the above, Applicants respectfully request that the present case be allowed to proceed to issue. If any additional fees are due in connection with this application as a whole, the Examiner is authorized to deduct such fees from deposit account no. 02-1818. If such a deduction is made, please indicate the attorney docket no. (0115274-005) on the account statement.

Respectfully submitted,

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